

DAILY LINE TO PORTLAND. STEAMERS. Altona and Ramona. LEAVE. DAILY. Portland, 6:45 a. m. SUNDAY. 9:20 a. m. Salem, 7:45 a. m. 10:15 a. m. Independence, 6:30 a. m. 6:50 a. m.

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RIVER NEWS.

The Altona will arrive up from Portland and way points this evening. The Ruth left for Corvallis and way points immediately after making her landing at Salem. The Hoag passed down this morning with a raft of logs in tow, bound for Oregon City. The Elmore left for Portland at 7 o'clock this morning with usual load of freight and large list of passengers. Steamer Ramona came down from Independence this morning and left for Portland at 7:45 a. m. with the usual amount of freight and number passengers. The Ruth and Albany had another race on the lower Willamette this morning. Both boats left Portland together, but the Ruth reached the locks in advance of the Albany. The river registered 17.5 feet this morning indicating a fall of 6 inches since Wednesday. The river did not reach a sufficient high stage to cause the locks to be closed. The recent rain occurred all south of Salem and did not effect the stage of Yamhill river at all. Had it rained north of Salem as it did here, the locks would no doubt have been obliged to close. The Albany left ahead of time this morning with a big passenger list from Corvallis and Albany, and crowded with freight, most of which consisted of 600 head of mutton sheep being shipped from Corvallis to Portland market. They will be taken off at Oregon City and driven around the locks to Portland, thus saving 10 cents a head.—Albany Democrat. Wednesday—This boat arrived up from Portland early this afternoon and steamed away for Corvallis. DIXIE STORE ROBBED.—Gibson & Burch, proprietors of the Rickerall store, this morning discovered that their place had been entered during the night, and that a small amount of money and some goods had been taken. The burglar entered by prying a panel from the back door, and made his escape in the same way. It is not known exactly what goods were taken, nor is there any clue to the perpetrators. VACATION.—Examinations for the third term were conducted at Willamette University Tuesday and Wednesday. School was dismissed for the remainder of the week. Studies will not be resumed until next Tuesday, Monday being devoted to registration. This was done by the faculty in order that the students might enjoy a short vacation before entering upon the labors of the fourth term, which will close the latter part of June. Many students have returned to their homes that they may enjoy a short visit with relatives.

SOCIETY CHRONICLE. Miss Mabel Jones visited friends in Woodburn today. Rev. J. Bowersox returned on the afternoon local from Corvallis. Dr. D. A. Paine left yesterday for Eugene. His brother is very ill. Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Schafer were passengers to Portland via the steamer Ruth. Dr. L. F. Griffith returned last evening from a hurried trip to Portland. J. B. Giesy, deputy county clerk, resumed his work today after a short illness. Rev. J. S. White went to Albany this morning for a short visit with friends. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. B. Gray went to Newport this morning to enjoy a short vacation. Mrs. J. R. Davis returned this afternoon from a visit with friends at Junction City. Mrs. E. F. Osburn and little daughter returned this afternoon from a visit with Eugene friends. Rev. J. E. Day passed through Salem on the afternoon local on his way home to Woodburn from Eugene. Prof. F. S. Dunn of Willamette, accompanied by Mrs. Dunn, is enjoying a short vacation with friends at Eugene. Mrs. N. A. Blodgett went to Salem today on a visit with her daughter Mrs. Otto Lee.—Albany Democrat, Wednesday. Mrs. R. S. Wallace returned from Eugene this afternoon where she attended the sessions of the Willamette Presbytery. Mr. and Mrs. Adams came in from the state farm yesterday, for the purpose of attending the reception of the Illihees club. Rev. F. H. Gwynne, D. D., and Elder J. M. Martin returned this afternoon from the Willamette Presbytery at Eugene. Mrs. A. O. Condit and Miss Helen Matthews returned this afternoon from Eugene, where they have been attending Willamette Presbytery. Dr. D. A. Paine returned this afternoon from Eugene whether he was called to see his brother who was quite ill, but we are pleased to say his condition is improved today. Mrs. Bessie Burkhart, of Willamette University, is home on a vacation.—Albany Democrat. We beg to inform the Democrat that the young lady is still enjoying "single blessedness." Mayor and Mrs. Walter L. Tooze of Woodburn, came to the city yesterday evening, and attended the Illihees club reception. The mayor returned this morning, Mrs. Tooze remaining in the city with friends. Yesterday morning there were seen, wending their way eastward, a long line of young men and women. They proved to be the students of the Business college, going to visit the state insane asylum. They did so thoroughly and felt well repaid for their trouble. Miss Mary McNichols returned to Portland this morning, having attended the funeral of Miss Minnie Foley of Waterloo, which was held from the Catholic church Wednesday afternoon conducted by Rev. J. S. White. Misses Lillie Steiner, Carrie Batchelor and Lucia Cochran, were passengers to Albany via the steamer Albany this afternoon, where they will participate in a musical recital, to be given Friday evening. ILLIHEES RECEPTION. Last evening witnessed one of the most brilliant social events ever experienced by our people, in the occurrence of the first public reception tendered by the Illihees Club of Salem. This was in fact the dedication of the club's elegant new quarters, and inauguration, as it were, of the club itself as one of the foremost social institutions of the capital city. Nearly five hundred of Salem's best people attended this happy event, and few if any but passed judgment of the most flattering character upon the efforts of the club to entertain their friends, as well as upon the planting of this institution in our midst. The company were received at the head of the stairs by a courteous com-

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mittee of members, who assisted the ladies and gentlemen to their respective dressing rooms, after which they were shown through the various apartments by the members, and all enjoyed a most delightful evening. The Salem orchestra discoursed pleasant music, and the entire company was highly entertained in an informal manner. The spacious hallway and rooms were elaborately decorated with palms and floral offerings, and the magnificent electric lighting system added greatly to the splendor and appearance of the ensemble. As is well known, the rooms of this new organization are in the Burke block on Commercial street adjoining the post office, and they have been most elegantly arranged and furnished to meet the needs of the Illihees. The club has about one hundred members, all of whom have keys to the main door, but others must touch the electric bell, which is answered by Wm. H. Cook, the gentlemanly steward, and the entrance landing finds modern conveniences for hats, coats and umbrellas, the stairs and landing being handsomely finished in Oregon sugar maple, natural wood finish, light and cheerful. Without attempting to describe each room it may be stated that there is a pleasant office, a large reading room and parlor—divided only by portieres—a spacious billiard hall, three good-sized card or conversation rooms, the steward's room or sideboard, lavatory and closets. There is an entire system of call bells and of electric lighting, each lamp having an independent switch and all being controlled by one switch in the steward's room. The rooms are richly, substantially and comfortably furnished. Every chair in the reading room and parlor speaks ease and comfort, and the lights are so unusually arranged that you can go nowhere in the rooms without having a light by which to read. The electric light furnishings are very handsome and serviceable, the electrolors being of bronze and the switches of the most approved patterns. There is nothing cheap or flashy in the whole arrangement, but everything has the stamp of usefulness and respectability. Below is given a list of the members of the club as well as the officers and standing committee. Governor William P. Lord, Secretary of State H. R. Kincaid, State Treasurer Phil Metschan, Chief Justice R. S. Bean, Justice F. A. Moore, Justice Chas. E. Wolverton, Major Frank E. Hodgkin, Judge J. J. Murphy, Major Willis S. Dunnaway, Frank K. Lovell, Senator I. L. Patterson, Hugh H. Thompson, F. R. Anson, Mayor Claud Gatch, Geo. P. Hughes, Geo. E. Gray, Chas. D. Gabrielson, Chas. A. Gray, Gen. W. H. Odell, E. P. McCormack, J. H. Albert, Anthony Klein, J. M. Wallace, Hal D. Patton, J. J. Dalrymple, Ed. M. Edes, Geo. G. Bingham, W. C. Knighton, Dr. A. B. Gillis, Sherman W. Thompson, A. N. Gilbert, Werner Breyman, Wm. Brown, Squire Farrar, Eugene Breyman, Frank Meredith, Dr. D. A. Paine, Dr. W. T. Williamson, Dr. T. C. Smith, Jr., Wm. T. Gray, Dr. R. Cartwright, E. M. Lafore, Addison C. Dille, Max O. Buren, L. V. Ehlen, John G. Wright, W. J. Culver, A. N. Moores, County Judge W. C. Hubbard, Sheriff John Knight, Dr. L. F. Griffith, Dr. W. W. Contris, Geo. W. Davis, Fred W. Steusloff, Dr. J. A. Richardson, Ernst Hofer, E. C. Gilmer, H. S. Jordan, H. J. Ottenheimer, W. G. Westacott, State Printer W. H. Leeds, Hon. Edw. Hirsch, J. A. Carson, Geo. F. Rogers County Treasurer Jasper Minto, J. A. Baker, S. T. Richardson, G. L. L. Baskett, J. W. Roland, George Collins, Dr. W. H. Byrd, Finley C. Perrine, H. Hirschberg, Richard W. Carey, H. S. Belle, G. W. Putnam, Dr. W. B. Morse, Frank C. Baker, ex-Mayor P. H. D'Arcy, W. M. Miller, G. L. Glenn, B. O. Shueking, Attorney-General C. M. Idleman, Judge William Waldo, F. S. Dearborn. President, Phil Metschan; vice president, E. P. McCormack; secretary, C. D. Gabrielson; treasurer, Claud Gatch; trustees, I. L. Patterson, G. P. Hughes, A. Klein, W. T. Gray and F. R. Anson; household committee, E. P. McCormack, W. T. Williamson and S. W. Thompson.

PERSONAL. James Martin is visiting in Eugene. Wm. Yantis went to Portland this morning on the Ruth. Geo. W. Davis was a passenger to Portland on the afternoon local. County Judge Hayes came up from Oregon City on the morning local. Hon. Geo. S. Downing went to Roseburg on the Roseburg local today. Attorney John A. Carson was called to Independence today on legal business. H. J. Ottenheimer, the hobbyist, transacted business in Aurora this morning. Ex-Governor Z. F. Moody was a Portland passenger on the Salem local this morning. Banker J. S. Cooper, of Independence, was a south bound passenger on the morning local. Prof. C. Van Patton, of the Harrison Institute returned to his duties at Chemawa this morning. H. Poble, the wagon maker, went to Corvallis this morning on business, expecting to return Friday. Deputy county assessor, Chas. P. Strain, of Monitor Mills was in town today on official business. Attorney James W. Hamilton returned to Roseburg this morning after a short business sojourn in Salem. W. G. Westacott went to Portland this morning on business connected with the Pacific Vinegar company. Chauncey M. Lockwood, of Salem, a nephew of Mrs. H. R. Kincaid was an arrival on the afternoon train.—Eugene Guard. Chas. Briggs, a delegate to the Marion county Democratic convention, returned this morning to his home at Ale. Al. Scovell, formerly bartender at the Fan saloon, left this morning via Salem local to Portland, for the gold mines at Cripple Creek, Colorado. Editor Wm. J. Clarke, of the Gervais Star, and Representative Candidate McKinley Mitchell, of Gervais, attended the Illihees club reception last evening, returning home this morning. Capt. O. C. Applegate, of Klamath Falls, the Republican nominee for joint senator for nearly one-third of the state, is in the city. He is a noble son of the sage-brush, a graduate of Willamette university, a lawyer of ability and a man of untarnished reputation. He will if elected become one of the party leaders in the legislature. Mr. Applegate is visiting friends in the city. OLD RESIDENT DIES.—Chas. Stewart, an old and well known resident of Gervais, died at his home, two miles east of that place, on Tuesday evening, at 6:30 o'clock. He had been ill for several months with heart trouble and rheumatism. He was 62 years of age, leaves a wife and two children—Geo. D. and Jennie E. Stewart. The funeral took place at ten o'clock today in the Presbyterian church at Gervais and the remains interred in the Bell Pass cemetery near Woodburn. He was a member of no fraternal order but held membership in the church mentioned. AT THE PENITENTIARY.—All shops connected with the state penitentiary will be closed Friday, and no visitors will be admitted of shown through the main building, out of respect to Second Warden Sherwood, whose wife will be buried in the afternoon. AN INSANE MAN.—Ore C. B. McPherson, was before County Judge Hubbard today on a charge of insanity. The young man is an epileptic. He was examined by Dr. Bradshaw, and Deputy attorney A. O. Condit, and committed to their findings. ACCEPTED.—The acceptance of Judge Burnett, of The Dalles, as Democratic candidate for congress in the second district, has been filed with the secretary of state. NEW NOTARIES.—Commissioned today: R. Bentikof, G. B. Cellars, Portland; J. C. Colcord, Newberg. INCORPORATED.—Articles of the Ferrara Grocery company of Portland have been filed. Full dress white shirt worth \$1.50 for 85 cents at Johnson & Sons. New goods cheap for cash. Workingmen's suits, first class, only \$4.75 at G. W. Johnson & Sons, the State street clothiers. "Standard" waists in latest effects, detachable collar, at Holverson's. WEATHER FORECAST.—Fair Thursday night and Friday; warmer. Holverson will discount any quotation you bring him on domestics. The U. S. Gov't Reports show Royal Baking Powder superior to all others.

to increase the attendance of the school to about 300 before June, if possible. The attendance at present is about 260. Until he returns the school will be under the management of Principal E. C. Narden.

STREET IMPROVEMENTS. Being Made in Salem—Building Notes and News. Front street, between State and Ferry streets, is being reduced to a level with the remainder of that street. The real estate being removed is used to an advantage by Contractor Mason in filling up the holes beneath the old sidewalk about the court house, preparatory to constructing a cement walk. This will prove a grand improvement to that part of Front street, which has heretofore been an "eye-sore" to property owners on that thoroughfare. S. L. Miller has recently remodeled his cottage on Winter street, near Union. The appearance of the house has been greatly improved, and it is now a desirable residence. The shingling of the wooden mill roof is rapidly nearing completion. The rain of the past week has hindered the work somewhat, but with pleasant weather for a few weeks the outside work will be finished. The inside work is also progressing nicely, and the building will soon be ready for the erection of the machinery, which will arrive in the near future. W. R. Anderson has the greatest

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